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BOSTON RED SOX BASEBALL CLUB LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,

Opposer,

v. : Opposition No. 91199169

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INSTITUTE,

Applicant.

## MOTION ON CONSENT TO CONTINUE SUSPENSION OF PROCEEDINGS AND TO EXTEND DISCOVERY PERIOD IF OPPOSITION IS RESUMED

Opposer, by and through counsel, hereby moves for an order further suspending the proceedings in this matter for a period of three (3) months, until **December 29, 2011**. Applicant's counsel consented to this motion, which is requested to allow the parties to continue to engage in settlement discussions.

Since the matter was last suspended, the parties' counsel have discussed potential terms for settlement, and Opposer's outside counsel drafted a settlement agreement based on those terms. The additional time is requested for Opposer's outside counsel to relay the draft settlement agreement to Opposer's in-house counsel for review and to send the agreement to Applicant thereafter to review, and for the parties to continue to work towards settlement of this matter.

In the event that the Board denies this motion, Opposer consents to an extension of time

for Applicant to file an answer or otherwise respond to the Notice of Opposition until sixty (60)

days after such denial.

If the Board grants this motion, the Board should also reset Applicant's time to answer or

otherwise respond to the Notice of Opposition. Additionally, the parties request that six months

of discovery be allowed and that the discovery cutoff be reset to six (6) months after the

proceedings resume so that the parties will have the full period of discovery in the event that the

matter is not able to be resolved. The trial periods and other periods should be reset accordingly.

Dated: New York, New York September 21, 2011

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, on September 21, 2011, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion to Suspend to be sent via First Class Mail, postage prepaid, to Applicant's Attorney of Record and Correspondent, Martin J. Ricciardi, Esq., Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP, 1 Commerce Plaza, Albany, NY 12260-1000.

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